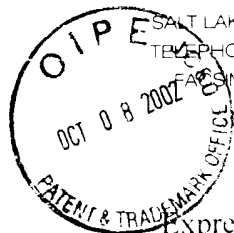


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response for entry in the above-identified application.

X To render the transmitted Amendment and Response timely filed enclosed are the following:

X Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time.

X Form PTO-2038 submitting Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$1,004.00 is enclosed to cover the additional claim fee and the Petition for Three-Month Extension of time, and

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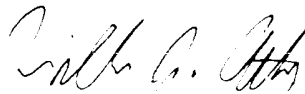
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